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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 23, 2006 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this response to restriction requirement and Amendment. Please charge any necessary fees required in connection with the paper transmitted herewith to Deposit Account No. 04-1105, Reference No.: 209409/2023F.

**Amendments to the Claims** are shown in the "Listing of the Claims" which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** are shown on page 4 of this paper.

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